

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63105

Mathew Bates
2709 Shackleford
St. Louis, MO 63031

July 10, 1995

Dear Matt:

We have your two \$20 gold pieces and other items for disposition. I plan to take the twenty dollar pieces to Los Angeles in August to see if the damage caused by the initials can be repaired. That will improve the value if restoration is possible.

We are glad to be of help.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Eric P. Newman', with a stylized, flowing script.

Eric P. Newman

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REGISTERED MAIL

July 13, 1995

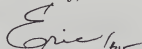
Mr. Harry Forman
518 Ryers Avenue
Bldg. 2, 1st Floor
Cheltenham, PA 19012

Dear Harry:

I enclose a few coins owned by others which I have been asked to sell. The lovely 1861 double eagle has some tiny initials in the field next to the date. If those could be smoothed out for a modest fee, you may do so. There are also enclosed two Missouri half dollars in nice condition and a 1922 cent with mint marks showing.

These are friends of mine and I would like to do nicely for them, but naturally you must be compensated for your work.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Eric P. Newman", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Eric P. Newman

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Maffit Bates
came to Museum May 2, 1995

showed us ^{uncy} \$20 US 1861. I noticed initials
cut in next to date P.C. He said Pierre Chouteau.
He had another worn \$20 US dated 189?

He kept 2 25¢ 1874 US fractional currency

He gave us a collapsible pocket purse.

He gave us to dispose of a group of silver coin

12	25¢ silver
1	50¢ silver
1	1969 50¢

7921 Forsyth
Clayton, Missouri 63105
314/863-0990

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Date: 10/12/95

Re: M. BATES

To whom it may concern:

On 10/12/95 we viewed the above mentioned items and appraise them as follows:

2 -	MO	Bulvers		335.00
1 -	Coat	Golf		20.00
2	"	"	7.00 each	14.00
3 -	"	"	3.00 each	9.00
20	L 1B	Gold		425.00
1803	Qty	Cart		15.00
6.00	S/L	Coat	x 3.4 =	20.40
				<u>838.40</u>

Total 838.40

If we can be of any further service please don't hesitate to call.

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W. M. BATES
2709 SHACKLEFORD ROAD • FLORISSANT, MISSOURI 63031

October 15, 1995

Mr. Eric P. Newman
Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society
6450 Cecil Avenue
St. Louis, MO 63105

Dear Eric,

I greatly appreciate your efforts to sell the coins for me. You are very kind to have taken the time to appraise them and then to find a buyer. Many thanks.

It was nice seeing you and Evelyn at the St. Louis University Award Dinner last Thursday. It was an interesting evening.

Sincerely,



W. M. Bates